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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION : OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF :

ALBERT G. KRAUSE, R.Ph.

TO PRACTICE PHARMACY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy upon application of Albert G. Krause for reinstatement of his license to practice pharmacy in the State of New Jersey. On August 16, 2001 by Order of the Board of Pharmacy, Respondent's license to practice pharmacy was revoked. (Order attached hereto and made a part of this Order). On December 14, 2005, Respondent appeared and testified before the Board that he had complied with the requirements of the 2001 Order and that he had enrolled in the Professional Assistance Program of New Jersey which submitted an evaluation on his behalf.

Having reviewed the submissions and being satisfied that Respondent has demonstrated sufficient rehabilitation to return to the practice of pharmacy and that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the health, safety and welfare of the public, the Board has determined to reinstate Respondent's license subject to certain restrictions and conditions.

IT IS THEREFORE on this 22 day of Falmany, 2005, Good ORDERED AND AGREED:

- 1. The license of Albert G. Krause to practice pharmacy in this State shall be reinstated upon proof of Respondent's successful completion of the following terms:
- a. Respondent shall enroll in and successfully complete at his own expense a five hundred (500) hour internship with a preceptor. Respondent shall cause the preceptor to provide an evaluation to the Board at the conclusion of the internship.
- b. Respondent shall successfully pass the MJPE Law examination and
- c. Respondent shall complete thirty (30) hours of continuing education credits approved in advance by the Board.
- 2. After proof of successful completion of these requirements submitted to the State Board of Pharmacy and after payment of the appropriate fees, Respondent's license to practice pharmacy shall be reinstated.

- 3. Upon reinstatement, Respondent's license shall be subject to the following limitations for two (2) years from the date of reinstatement:
- a. Respondent shall not act as the pharmacist-in-charge at any pharmacy.
- b. Respondent shall not own or have an ownership interest in

any pharmacy.

- c. Respondent shall not assume the preceptor role for any other licensee.
  - d. Respondent shall immediately inform each employer of the

terms of this Order and provide them with a copy of the Order.

Respondent shall ensure that each employer provide written notification on facility letterhead to the Board acknowledging receipt of a copy of the within Order and its terms.

- 4. Respondent shall work under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist for the first three (3) months of employment. Respondent shall provide the following written notification to the Board with ten (10) days of commencement of employment as a pharmacist:
  - a. The full name and address of employment,
- b. The name of the licensed pharmacist under whose supervision he will work for three (3) months.

- c. The shift/hours of employment.
- 5. At the conclusion of the first three (3) months of employment, Respondent shall cause the supervising pharmacist to provide the Board with an evaluation of Respondent's competency and ability to function as a dispensing pharmacist.
- 6. Respondent having enrolled in the Professional
  Assistance Program of New Jersey in February 2005, shall abide by
  the conditions recommended by that five year program. These
  conditions include:
- a. Absolute abstinence from all psychoactive substances including alcohol, unless prescribed by a treating physician for a documented medical condition, with notification by the treating physician to the Executive Medical Director of the Professional Assistance Program.
- b. Random, weekly urine monitoring for the first six months of licensure, with a reduction to twice monthly for the subsequent year. Further, reductions consistent with Respondent's recovery to be at the discretion of the Executive Medical Director, with notification to the Board of Pharmacy.
- c. Face to face follow-up with a clinical representative of the Professional Assistance Program.
- 1. Prior to reinstatement and until Respondent is employed as a pharmacist, these meetings are to take place every two months,

- During the first six months that Respondent is 2. working as a licensed pharmacist, these meetings are to take place every month.
- From the seventh month of employment forward for subsequent years, these meetings are to take place every two months.
- Respondent shall cause the Professional Assistance d. Program to provide quarterly reports to the Board's Executive Director.
- The Professional Assistance Program shall immediately notify the Board of any evidence of non compliance with the Board's mandates or evidence whatsoever of a return to the substance abuse disorder.
- Upon receipt of any reliable information indicating that Respondent has violated any term of this Order, Respondent's license may be automatically suspended by the Board. In addition, the Board reserves the right to bring further disciplinary action.
- Two years from the entry of this Order, Respondent may 8. petition the Board for modifications if any.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

President

I have read and understood the above Order and hereby consent to its terms:

Albert G. Krause, R.Ph.

Dated: FER 4 2006

Dated: 2/13/06

I agree to perform the supervisory functions required in this Order. I understand that reporting enrollment and performance are to be sent to the Executive Director, State Board of Pharmacy, 127 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey 07101

Louis E. Baxter, Sr., M.D., F.A.S.A.M.

Executive Medical Director

Professional Assistance Program

Consent as to form:

Dated: Fch 1/200

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